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25X1X The Pemuda Rakjat in East Java has 16 branches with a total membership of forty thousand.¹ Membership has rapidly increased in the last six months, but the organization still is hampered by a lack of funds. The strongest branches in East Java are those in Tjerme, Djombang, and Bodjonegoro.

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